

Amendment No. 1 to HB0649

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**AMEND Senate Bill No. 1015**

**House Bill No. 649\***

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by deleting all of the language following the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-6001(a)(1), is amended by adding the following language to the end of the subdivision:

The state board of education may also establish by regulation uniform policies and procedures whereby any student, who narrowly misses passage of one or more of the Tennessee comprehensive assessment program tests, including one or more parts of the Gateway examination, may petition for and may be awarded bonus test points based upon clear indicia of student classroom performance and achievement meritorious of a full diploma upon graduation from high school.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.